

## Program B: Elections

Unless otherwise indicated, all objectives are to be accomplished during or by the end of FY 2003-2004. Objectives may be key or supporting level. The level of the objective appears after the objective number and before the objective text.

Performance indicators are made up of two parts: name and value. The indicator name describes what is being measured. The indicator value is the numeric value or level achieved within a given measurement period. For budgeting purposes, performance indicators are shown for the prior fiscal year, the current fiscal year, and alternative funding scenarios (continuation budget level and Executive Budget recommendation level) for the ensuing fiscal year of the budget document. Performance indicators may be key, supporting, or general performance information level. Key level is indicated by a "K" in the "Level" column of the standard performance indicator table. Supporting level is indicated by an "S" in the "Level" column of the standard performance indicator table. General Performance Information indicators appear in tables labeled as General Performance Information.

Proposed performance standards do not reflect the most recent budget adjustments implemented by the Division of Administration during development of the FY 2003-2004 Executive Budget Supporting Document. Rather, proposed performance standards indicate a "To be established" status since the agency had insufficient time to assess the full performance impacts of the final Executive Budget recommendation. As a result, during the 2003 Legislative Session, the agency will seek amendments to the General Appropriations Bill to identify proposed performance standards reflective of the funding level recommended in the Executive Budget Supporting Document.

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AGENCY ID: 04-139 Secretary of State

PROGRAM ID: Program B: Elections

1. (KEY) To limit the number of machine and absentee ballot reprints due to Elections Program errors to a total of \_\_ for elections held during the year.

Strategic Link: This objective relates to Strategic Objective 1: *The Elections Program will produce efficient and accurate elections by reducing the number of machine and absentee ballot reprints due to Elections Program errors to no more than three per election.*

Louisiana: *Vision 2020* Link: Not Applicable

Children's Cabinet Link: Not Applicable

Other Link(s): Not Applicable

LaPAS PI CODE	L E V E L	PERFORMANCE INDICATOR NAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATOR VALUES					
			YEAREND PERFORMANCE STANDARD FY 2001-2002	ACTUAL YEAREND PERFORMANCE FY 2001-2002	PERFORMANCE STANDARD AS INITIALLY APPROPRIATED FY 2002-2003	EXISTING PERFORMANCE STANDARD FY 2002-2003	PERFORMANCE AT CONTINUATION BUDGET LEVEL FY 2003-2004	PERFORMANCE AT EXECUTIVE BUDGET LEVEL FY 2003-2004
10061	K	Number of reprints due to program error	18	8	81	27 <sup>1</sup>	18	To be established
10062	S	Number of elections held	6	9	9	9	6	To be established
	K	Percentage of elections with three or fewer errors per election	Not Applicable <sup>2</sup>	89%	Not Applicable <sup>2</sup>	Not Applicable <sup>2</sup>	100%	To be established

<sup>1</sup> This performance indicator was revised by an August 15th Performance Standard Adjustment approved on September 19, 2002.

<sup>2</sup> This performance indicator did not appear under Act 12 of 2001 or Act 13 of 2002 and does not have a performance standards for FY 2001-2002 or 2002-2003. The value shown for actual yearend performance for FY 2001-2002 are estimates.